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MEMORANDUM FOR: Loftus E. Becker
The Legal Adviser
Department of State

SUBJECT: Gifts to Government Employees

1. At the meeting of the Interdepartmental Committee on Gifts held 5 August 1958, which was attended by [redacted] of this office it was requested that comment be made as to Sections 6, 7 and 8 of the draft of proposed law presented by the Department of State.

2. We suggest that part of the wording of Sec. 6. (d) be amended to read: "... by the affirmative vote of a majority of those present of either House" (Additional wording under-scored.) Aside from the foregoing we suggest no changes in the proposed law other than those informally agreed upon at the meeting of 5 August 1958 with respect to Sections 1 through 5.

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